

Response Under 37 CFR § 1.116  
Expedited Procedure - Group 2861

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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: K. Feggins
JOHN HILBERT	)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2861
Application No.: 10/673,044	)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 8049
Filed: September 26, 2003	)	
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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS	)	
FOR A NEW DIRECT	:	
THERMAL PRINTER	)	January 24, 2007

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 24, 2006, the term for responding to which having been extended to January 24, 2007, by the accompanying Petition For Extension Of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows: